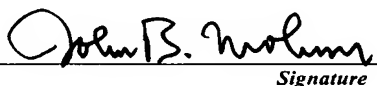
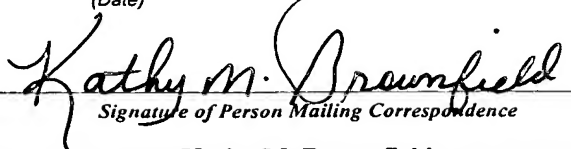


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AMENDMENT

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Official Letter, dated December 13, 2004, paper no. 12042004, please amend the above-identified application as indicated on the following pages.

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